



GRAYSON COUNTY

KENTUCKY POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROFILE 2008-10



General Population Data

	County	Ky	US
Total population	24,053	4,041,769	281,421,906
Median household income	\$27,639	\$33,672	\$41,994
Per capita income	\$14,759	\$18,093	\$21,587
Living in poverty	18.1 %	15.8 %	12.4 %
Eligible for Medicaid	22.5 %	17.6 %	na
Without medical insurance	15.0 %	13.3 %	14.2 %
Registered voters who voted in 2004 general election	60.5 %	64.7 %	70.9 %
Unemployment rate	8.3 %	5.7 %	4.6 %
Use the Internet at home	58.7 %	64.0 %	na

College Readiness

	County	Ky
Average ACT score	20.3	20.6
% entering college with developmental needs in one or more subjects	51.1 %	45.9 %
% entering college with developmental needs in mathematics	35.2 %	35.4 %
% entering college with developmental needs in English	38.5 %	28.6 %

Employment by Sector

	County	Ky
Agriculture, mining, & other natural resources	46	28,251
Manufacturing & construction	2,775	346,324
Retail, wholesale, transportation, & utilities	1,578	373,216
Finance, professional, & business services	775	258,647
Health & educational services	651	215,834
Government & public education	1,579	293,968
Leisure, hospitality, & other services	569	209,629

Highest Level of Education

	County	Ky	US
Less than a high school diploma or equivalent	37.2 %	25.9 %	19.6 %
High school diploma or equivalent	37.1 %	33.6 %	28.6 %
Some college but no degree	14.4 %	18.5 %	21.0 %
Associate's degree	3.6 %	4.9 %	6.3 %
Bachelor's degree or higher	7.7 %	17.1 %	24.4 %

Educational Pipeline

	County
High school graduates in 2006	266
In-state college-going rate for 2006 high school graduates	42.0 %
Kentucky Adult Education enrollments in 2006-07	542
GEDs awarded in 2006-07	97
Students entering postsecondary education in summer or fall 2006	182
Students earning an associate's degree in 2006-07	55
Students earning a bachelor's degree in 2006-07	65
Students earning a bachelor's degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics in 2006-07	19
Students earning a graduate or professional degree in 2006-07	28
Students enrolled in distance learning college courses in fall 2006	185
Students enrolled in Kentucky Virtual Campus courses in fall 2006	91
Bachelor's degree six-year graduation rate for 2006	33.3 %
Number of additional bachelor's degree holders needed in this county to match the national average	2,663

Undergraduates & Alumni

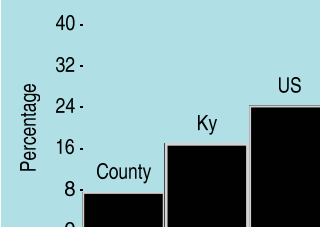
	Enrollment	Alumni
University of Kentucky	16	540
University of Louisville	49	105
Eastern Kentucky University	20	96
Kentucky State University	0	3
Morehead State University	1	7
Murray State University	20	70
Northern Kentucky University	2	6
Western Kentucky University	150	569
KCTCS	496	746
Independent colleges & universities	52	161
Total from this county	806	2,303

Financial Aid to Students From This County

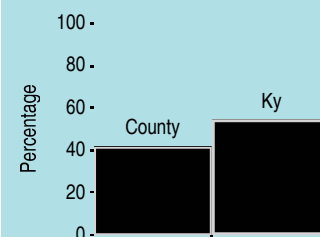
	Dollars	Awards
Federal Pell awards	\$957,578	386
Federal loans	\$2,005,050	381
Kentucky Ed. Excellence Scholarships (KEES)	\$396,474	317
Kentucky need-based grants	\$529,442	278

KEY FACTS

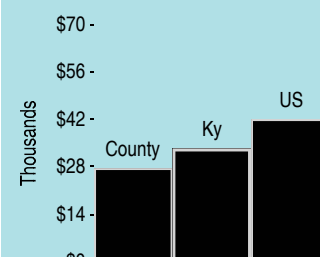
Percentage of Adults With a Bachelor's Degree or Higher



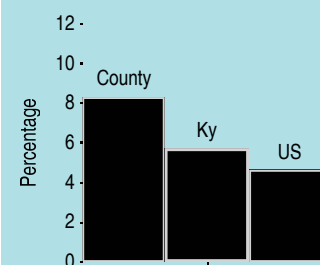
In-State College-Going Rate



Median Household Income



Unemployment Rate



Sources: US Census 2000, US Department of Education, Kentucky Department of Education, Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority, Kentucky Office of Employment and Training, ACT, Inc, Kentucky State Board of Elections, Dave Leip's Atlas of U.S. Presidential Elections, US Census Small Area Health Insurance Estimates Program, Kentucky Department for Medicaid Services, ConnectKentucky, Kentucky Adult Education, and the Council on Postsecondary Education. Complete descriptions of sources and methodologies may be found in the technical notes at the end of the 2008-10 County Profiles or through the Kentucky Postsecondary Education Data Portal at the Web address below.